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FOR: : PLANT EXTRACTS AND THE USE THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE INCLUDING AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:


Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 , amendments to the claims begin on page 2; and the Remarks begin on page 8.

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS*	21	33	0	x 25 =	\$0	x 50 =	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	3	0	x100 =	\$0	x200 =	\$200
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☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 04-1121 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_. Two (2) copies of this sheet are enclosed.

☐ Petition for Extension of Time (\_\_\_\_ month(s))

☒ A check in the amount of \$200.00 is enclosed.

☒ Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) which may become due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 04-1121. Also, in the event any extensions of time for responding are required for the pending application(s), please treat this paper as a petition to extend the time as required and charge Deposit Account No. 04-1121 therefor.

A DUPLICATE OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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